

POPS TO THE PUBLIC

Populit Executive Committee
Issues an Address.

ECHOES OF THE SILVER MEET

Demand Silver Dollars. No Foreign
Influence and Authority to Issue
Money Restored to the Government.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—The executive committee of the populist party who have been in session here since the adjournment of the silver convention, tonight issued the following address:

To the People of the United States—

The friends of more money and less taxes devoted to the silver dollar of the constitution and of our forefathers, the opponents of destruction, gold standard and bond monopoly, have just held their great convention here in Chicago. It was composed of representative and patriotic men from all parts and from all sections of our country. The overwhelming spirit of this convention indicates that the whole nation is alive to the dangers which threaten us. That convention not only repudiated the idea of a gold standard and a gold basis, but unanimously committed itself to the principle that we, as a people, have long held and cherished, viz: That law alone makes money and that the stamp of the government converts 60 cents worth of silver into a dollar, equal to any gold dollar. And they unanimously agreed that the money of the country should be adequate for the demands of business and should expand with the growth of population and commerce. This convention has been a great victory for the principles embodied in the Omaha platform. The representatives of the silver party who were present united with us to fight for the money of the people as against the money of the bondholders. It is the same old contest for the doctrine of Jefferson, Jackson, and Stevens and Lincoln, and for our constitutional rights, which have been assailed by a foreign coalition. The convention manifested an intense conviction that the bondholding and banking conspiracy which began its awful work in 1873 in a republican congress will now be continued, if not consummated in 1893, in a democratic congress with equal rapacity, pillage and peculation.

To Resist Foreign Invasion.

It is the mission of the populists to resist this foreign invasion, which, through corporate greed, assaults our national liberties by usurping our lands, monopolizing our highways, absorbing our wealth, dictating our laws and enslaving our people. We believe the present effort to demonize silver and issue money bonds, thereby increasing the aggregate of our national debt, is a scheme which must be paid in gold alone, burdening us and our posterity with gold contracts which we never made, is a crime equal to that for which Kings have been dethroned and tyrants beheaded, and for which every officer, judge, and therein should be impeached and punished as provided by law. If silver is stricken down, it will take more merchandise from the business men, more labor from the wage-earner and more wheat, corn and cotton from the farmer than it will take to purchase the gold dollar of the bankers. Therefore these three classes should unite to resist the encroachments of this un-American and destructive conspiracy.

Want Money Question Solved.

The logic of events forces the immediate solution of the money question. This we recognize without yielding any of the great principles in our platform, which must follow and be settled in rapid succession in order that our government may be restored to its enemies and prosperity restored to the people. We do not consider the money question as settled until authority to issue money and control its volume is restored to the people. We demand that the government force the issue by 1894 to 1896. We demand the industrial legion and all similar organizations as valuable aids in educating and organizing our people. Stand by your colors, brethren; events are battling for us. The stars in their course are shining in the light of silver; every agency of the people is an argument for our platform, every day confirms our predictions. There is no safety for the people of the United States except in the triumph of our principle and victory is not far off. H. F. Tamm, chairman; J. H. Turner, secretary; M. E. Hansen, treasurer; Ignatius Donnelly, J. H. Davis, Lewis; George F. Washburn, Massachusetts; V. O. Strickland, Nebraska; George F. Cather, Alabama.

J. H. WALKER CO. FAIL.

Confessed Judgment Yesterday—Appointment of Receivers.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Just before noon today the J. H. Walker company, all of its general dry goods, and one of the best known firms in the city, confessed judgment in Judge Winslow's court on a note for \$100,000 in favor of Edward Nos. Shortly afterward the receivers of the firm were named in the effect that the company was embarrassed, were confirmed in the formal petition for the appointment of a receiver. At the same time the supposed differences between the members of the firm were developed when a dispute arose before Judge Winslow as to the appointment of the receiver. James H. Walker, however, stated that the title Guaranty and Trust company was named, and he was at once opposed by the other members of the firm, who also appeared in court. They desired two other persons named, and suggested a strange name. So far as disclosed at the outset, the suspension of business as indicated by the application for a receiver involved \$100,000.

Judge Winslow appointed as receivers W. A. Mason and the Chicago Title and Trust company. Those two will name a third receiver. At the office of Attorney Winslow, while a trustee it was learned that the only reason that need be assigned for the temporary suspension was the general stringency of the money market.

The firm, whose wholesale and retail dry goods houses are known throughout

OUR MEN IN LINE

Crisp May Give Michigan Democrats Places

WHEN MAKING UP COMMITTEES

Whiting and Chipman Will Be Sure of Positions—Whiting Favors Tom Johnson's Money Making Scheme.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 4.—A special to The News says: Congressman Whiting, Richardson and Hedrick are the first of the Michigan delegation to put in an appearance. Whiting telegraphs that he will be here tomorrow. The information here is that Mr. Chipman cannot return for several weeks and perhaps longer, but his associates will look after him in the matter of committee places.

The Michigan men share the general apathy because of the fact that the former speaker and most of the other old officers of the house are likely to be re-elected without the usual exciting contests incident to reassembling of congress.

Mr. Crisp has talked with some of the Michigan men in a general way, it is pretty well understood, as to what share Michigan is to have in the leading committees. The delegation wants Mr. Whiting retained on the ways and means committee, which by far the most important committee and is exceptionally important just now, owing to the proposed revision of the tariff. Mr. Whiting has had two interviews with the speaker, and there is every reason to believe that Michigan will again be honored with a place on that committee.

Chairmanship for Chipman.

Judge Chipman will receive a chairmanship, although it is not yet decided whether he will remain where he was two years ago, at the head of the committee on the election of the president and vice-president, or will be advanced to the dignified position of head of the foreign affairs committee. The latter place has been vacated by Mr. Blount, the commissioner to Hawaii, and Mr. Chipman is in the line of advancement. It will be especially important at this session, owing to the Hawaiian question. Whiting will secure the chairmanship of the library committee. The new library of congress is about completed, so that the chairmanship will be made prominent during the session. It has an unusually large amount of material connected with it. Since this change has been made, Whiting would retire from the river and harbor committee, in which case Mr. Richardson of Grand Rapids would probably succeed Whiting in looking after Michigan's interests in rivers and harbors.

Mr. Richardson's departure is for the purpose of contesting the seat of Richardson. The latter has the advantage of being on the rolls, including the pay rolls.

Burrows will probably remain on the ways and means committee, in which case Michigan will have double representation in framing the new tariff bill. Stephenson, who hails from the upper peninsula mining district, will probably land in the committee of mines and mining. He has heretofore had a good thing in the river and harbor committee, but being a republican, it is felt that he can be spared from that committee, and placed where his mining experience will better fit him for work. Mr. Moon, who has secured quite a Michigan reputation on liquor questions, is slated for a place on the committee on liquor traffic.

Whiting's Financial Ideas.

Owing to Whiting's important place on ways and means, he has been much sought since arriving for interviews. Some of those who have not clearly expressed his views, so that Mr. Whiting today gave The News the following statement: "I am convinced that something more than the repeal of the Sherman act is necessary to relieve the present stringency of money. I approve of the measure which Congressman Tom Johnson has given out that he will introduce on the first day of the session. His bill authorizes the holders of United States bonds to exchange them with the treasury of the United States at any time and receive therefor treasury notes for their face value, interest on the bonds to cease while in the possession of the government. This plan would not only stop the strain to the amount of new notes issued, but would promptly return the money now being hoarded."

"As soon as money became plentiful enough not to earn more than 4 per cent interest which the bonds call for, the holders would return the notes to the government and take the bonds again."

This plan, while saving many great and useful business enterprises from destruction, would at the same time save the people 4 per cent interest on their national pledges just so long as the money was out on its mission of mercy. "It is not the proper thing to sit quietly down and say that the present general depression in prices and lack of confidence is due to over trading or any other cause. I do not know of a legitimate enterprise in Michigan that has not been abandoned by the people. The active, enterprising men are the best men for a community, and in times like these are entitled to any and every safe resort of finance to establish permanently their enterprises. More than that, the most conservative business men are subjected to both embarrassment and unnecessary loss."

"If this plan should be adopted relief would come at once, and sufficient money be forthcoming to move the crops now ready for market. It would also allow an abundant time for congress to deliberate carefully on the subject of silver. Forced legislation rarely proves to be wise legislation."

"It would also permit fuller consideration of the tariff question. A man of the commonest judgment does not require any threat from a democratic congress to persuade him not to manufacture in excess of the demands for his products. If in any line of industry the demand is below the capacity of production, possibly a democratic congress might act wisely in first furnishing monetary relief, and then, by way of a little healthy free competition, induce each lower price as would induce employment in the full capacity of our mills."

Should Dismissed From

Barber, Mich., Aug. 4.

Robert Miller, a farmer living east of this city, was arrested on a charge of selling diseased meat. William Norman claims that Miller drove a hog until it became overheated and then threw water on it. The hog died, and Miller, it is alleged, sold a portion of the meat to Norman. All of the Norman family were taken sick from eating it. Miller pleaded not guilty to the charge, and his trial was set for August 10.

Girl Drowned in Long Lake.

ALPENA, Mich., Aug. 4.—Jessie Cunningham, the 11-year-old daughter of Dr. William C. Cunningham, was drowned in Long lake last night, while bathing with other girls. Physicians worked over her for nine hours, but could not resuscitate her. This is the first drowning since the resort was opened, several years ago.

Strange Disappearance.

HILLDALE, Mich., Aug. 4.—Mrs. Ed Fille left her home Sunday afternoon and is still missing. She was last seen with another woman at the house of Mr. Johnson, a marble-cutter, but Mr. Johnson says he told her she could not stay there. The woman had little money when she left. Mrs. Fille has three small children.

State News in Brief.

Grand Master George E. Dowling of Montague laid the corner stone of the new episcopal church at St. Johns, on Thursday. Over 150 members of the Masonic fraternity were present in uniform.

The Desmond, a small club of Port Huron, is in distress, owing over \$2,000. An effort will be made to raise the required funds, though many members are in favor of closing up.

The Rev. C. Carey Willett, pastor of the Baptist church, Pawlerville, has been granted the degree of doctor of philosophy by the National University, Chicago.

Cadillac has been designated as the place for holding a convention of the school officers of Isabella, Clare, Osceola, Wexford, Kalamazoo and Muskegon counties.

A stock company with a capital of \$50,000 will engage in the business of manufacturing metallic refrigerators at Battle Creek.

John J. Evans of Battle Creek has organized a stock company to publish a state paper to be devoted to the colored men.

Louis Darveau, 36 years of age, committed suicide at Jones, Cass county, Wednesday by drowning in a cistern.

Keweenaw county is suffering an invasion of the army worm and great damage is being done to the crops.

The Union Veterans' society of Jackson is raising funds for the purpose of erecting a soldiers' monument.

HA by named Haspel, aged 9 years, was burned to death in a tool house at Iron Mountain Thursday.

Ionia sportsmen will hang up \$1,000 for a three days' trotting meeting, to follow the Lanning races.

Uncle Jesse Turner has resided in Kalamazoo since 1832 and is hale and hearty at the age of 94.

More large trout have been caught in the Boyne river this season than ever before.

Hugh Richard a well known capitalist and old resident died at Jackson Thursday.

The veterans of the Ninth Michigan infantry will meet at Lansing August 15.

Judge Frank H. Hooker and family have moved from Charlotte to Lansing.

The Fourth Michigan cavalry will hold a reunion at Homer on the 10th.

The Montgomery county seal will be removed to Atlanta on the 10th.

Work has begun on the University school of music at Ann Arbor.

Over 600 spiritualists are in camp at Haslet Park, near Lansing.

Peaches in the vicinity of Brooklyn are being marketed.

There are many cases of diphtheria in Alpena county.

Scarcity of Small Bills.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The extreme scarcity of currency was called more emphatically to public attention in this city today than it was yesterday. The efforts of corporations and firms, both large and small, here and elsewhere, to obtain a sufficient supply of small bills to meet their pay rolls tomorrow caused a regular scramble for funds. As a result the money brokers and bullion dealers did a thriving business buying and selling gold and silver coin and paper money.

Some of the money brokers have advertised in the newspapers their willingness to pay premiums on small bills, and others have sent circulars to retail business houses offering from 1/4 to 3/4 of 1 per cent for currency. They said the money thus obtained at an average of about 2 per cent, reaping a neat profit.

Ozage Indians Are Wealthy.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Aug. 4.—The Ozage Indians have refused to treat with the government commission for the cession of their reservation of nearly 2,000,000 acres, which lie across the eastern end of the Cherokee strip, and the commission will return to Washington in a few days. These Indians are worth \$15,000 in cash and over 1,000 acres of land for every man, woman and child in the tribe, and do not care to be crowded by white people.

Agreement Will End.

DENVER, Aug. 4.—The Denver & Rio Grande Railroad company have given notice to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen that after September its agreement with the organization will be discontinued. The purpose of the road in doing this is said to be to pay the way for a reduced wage scale and to be 10 per cent below present rates.

Death of a Patriotic Poetess.

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 4.—Mrs. Sarah T. Bolton, the Indian poetess, died at her residence in this city today at the age of 81. Her poem, "Fading Your Own Cause," has been translated into many languages and is known the world over. "Union Forever," published in the early years of the war and set to music, was a standard war song.

Rehabilitation Census.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Representative Thomas J. Henderson, president of the republican caucus, has issued a call for a census, to meet on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

DEATH IN THE LAKE

Sad Fate of Nine Young People

SAILING GAILY TO A DANCE

A Pleasure Yacht Collides With a
Sunk Pier and a Terrible and
Dreary Scene Enues.

TROY, N. Y., Aug. 4.—About 9 o'clock last night a pleasure party while going to a dance at the lower end of Lake George met with a terrible casualty. The steam yacht Rachel, owned by D. W. Sherman, proprietor of the Pearl Rock house, was conveying twenty-nine people up the lake. The little vessel was turned toward the One Hundred Mile Island house, and was sliding toward the landing when the vessel ran upon a sunken pier, and before assistance arrived from the shore it sank, with all on board, in eighteen feet of water.

The shrieking, struggling passengers battled for life in the darkness. Women threw up their arms and sank beneath the surface and when brought ashore life had fled. Deeds of heroism were performed by the men. When all in sight had reached the shore it was learned that nine persons, all women except a youth of 19, had sunk to watery graves. As soon as possible an attempt to get the bodies was made.

Those who lost their lives resided in Troy, Brooklyn, Hoboken and Warrington. The porter of the One Hundred Mile Island house was acting as pilot when the boat struck. Following is a correct list of the drowned: Miss Hattie Hall, Brooklyn; Bertha Benedict, Montclair, N. J.; Miss Edith Harding, Hoboken, N. J.; Miss H. M. Burton, Jersey City; Mrs. J. H. H. Mitchell, Burlington, N. J.; F. C. Mitchell, Burlington, N. J.; Lizzie Corley, Burlington, N. J.; Clara Black, Burlington, N. J.; Lizzie Clark, Bridgeport.

GREAT EXODUS OF MINERS.

Kansas Country Thronged With Refugees From Colorado.

TOPICKA, Kas., Aug. 4.—The exodus of Colorado miners continues through Kansas, proving a heavy burden to the western farmers and a source of great annoyance to the railroads. The tramp trains on the several roads carry from 200 to 400 each day going east, and regular trains are crowded by the idle and destitute miners who are determined to get out of the country. The crowds are so great in Denver that the first-class passenger trains frequently back away from the depot and then run through the station at full speed in order to pre-empt the men from jumping on. Trains that refuse to stop are pelted with rocks and clubs. In some instances the trains are accompanied by soldiers to avoid any interference with regular travel by the miners. The Kansas farmers are feeding them along the route whenever they are able to do so, and many of the men have accepted work on the farms.

KNOCKED INTO ETERNITY.

Sailor "Kid" Receives a Fatal Blow in a Pugilistic Encounter.

DENVER, Col., Aug. 4.—The "Sailor Kid," whose correct name is differently given as Roby Axler, and Lon Turner, who fought a draw last night in a pugilistic encounter at the Randal's club rooms, River front park, died late this afternoon. By order of the district attorney state warrants were promptly sworn out for all those concerned in the mill between "Kid" Robinson, colored, and "Sailor Kid." The latter was terribly beaten up. Robinson, Dick Carbery, the well-known promoter of pugilistic fights, and several others were arrested. The fight, which was refereed by Bob Masterson, who referred the fight, has disappeared. The Kid never regained consciousness after leaving the ring last night. He died at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. All are to be taken into custody as fast as possible.

Show Wagon Explodes.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 4.—During the street parade of an outdoor spectacular show tonight a wagon load of fireworks exploded at Sixth and Pine streets. Panic seized the crowd and when the police arrived and tried to clear the way, the exploding of the fireworks caused the death of a man and a boy were found prostrate and bleeding from wounds. The names of the sufferers known are: Emil Hill, Memphis, Tennessee, burned from head to foot, probably fatally. Frank Walsh, St. Louis, struck and killed by a falling lantern. Robert Bieman, St. Louis, cut and burned, will recover. The injured, after receiving attention at the downtown dispensary, were taken to the city hospital. The cause of the explosion is said to have been the carelessness of a man who threw a torch into the wagon, but as two explosions occurred, this is not generally believed. The recklessness of the managers of the display is severely commented upon.

Another Suit Against Mitchell.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 4.—Washington Becker as receiver of the Wisconsin National Fire Insurance Company bank, has begun suit against John L. N. Mitchell, David Ferguson and John Johnson to collect promissory notes that aggregate \$60,000. The notes given by Mr. Mitchell aggregate \$30,000, those given by Johnson and Ferguson \$15,000 each. The notes were not secured by collateral, and were in the hands of the bank at the time of appointment of a receiver. The Northwestern National Insurance company of this city has also begun suit against Senator Mitchell for \$20,000 tied up in the failure of the Wisconsin Marine and Fire Insurance Company bank. When the deposit was made it is claimed Senator Mitchell as president of the bank personally guaranteed it.

Diphtheria Spreading.

MEXIMONIA, Mich., Aug. 4.—Diphtheria continues unabated, and though everything possible is being done to prevent its spread, two deaths and several new cases are reported this morning. The dead are children of M. A. Dunning and the Stephens family, prominent people of the city.

Chinaman Marries Mexican Girl.

PEORIA, Ill., Aug. 4.—Dr. Ling, the Chicago Chinese physician who recently married here a Chicago white girl, has come back here with his wife to avoid arrest and prosecution there. The girl's name is not known.

Fourteen Deaths in Naples.

ROME, Aug. 4.—The Tribune states that between Thursday noon and today twenty-five cases of cholera and fourteen deaths were reported to the authorities in Naples.

Coal Company Sued.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Aug. 4.—A suit was filed in the district court today by D. A. McKibben and James Lang against the House Coal Mining company to recover on four accounts amounting in the aggregate to \$12,500. They also ask that a receiver be appointed to dispose of the company's property, which is worth in the neighborhood of \$250,000.

Liability to Be Lynched.

ST. CHARLES, Mo., Aug. 4.—The sheriff has sworn in twenty-five deputies to assist in protecting the negro, John Dickman, who a few days ago eloped with a white girl and was captured in St. Louis and afterward brought here. The streets are filled with people and the negro will probably be lynched.

An Absconder Captured.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 4.—Kostling, the absconder cashier of the defunct South State Savings bank, has been found. He is in Denver and is by this time probably under arrest. A warrant was sworn out today charging him with a violation of the banking laws.

Stopped the Persian Dance.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—The agitation against the oriental dancers on Midway plained has led the director general to take action. Tonight he ordered the dancing in the Persian theater stopped and the passes of the women employed there were revoked.

Blount Not Insulted.

HAWAIIANS ANXIOUS TO MAKE TERMS WITH UNCLE SAM.

HONOLULU, July 8, via SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—Charles Creighton, of whom an apology was demanded by the provisional government for insulting Minister Blount, has not yet replied, since the rejection of his proffered explanation and apology. The royalists declare he will refuse to apologize further, and that he still claims Blount is not offended, and that the government is persecuting him. Prof. W. D. Alexander, special Hawaiian commissioner, leaves by steamer today for the United States. Yesterday, in special session, the council went over his instructions which are general in their nature and which are virtually a blank check. Blount is to make the best terms circumstances will permit with the United States for the benefit of the Hawaiian government. His general instructions are to insist upon annexation first and last, but to accept a protectorate if no other alternative is offered. The provisional government has introduced a bill in council to vest the title of crown lands in government and provide for their distribution and utilization among the people. The bill will likely pass. The bill on military has been amended so as to do away with a compulsory military make the national guard a volunteer force.

Commissioner Alexander carries the new treaty, the gist of which has already been telegraphed. According to him everything is quiet in Hawaii and annexation is only a question of time.

Great Distress in Australia.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—The columns of Australia exchanges received by the Monowai today reflect the general depression which exists there. The distress of the unemployed in Sydney and other large cities continues, and measures for the relief of a public and private character are still in order. The strike of union seamen is still on, but ship owners have been more successful than they expected in obtaining non-union labor. The shipping trade has not suffered to any great extent. In some instances police protection has been necessary for non-union men. In New South Wales the opening of the shearing season has been signaled by a strike, accompanied by violence demanding police interference. The incident is in the season causes serious apprehension. In the sugar districts of Queensland there is a plethora of labor caused by numerous arrivals of unemployed men from other sections. Aid has been asked and extended, but suffering among them is imminent.

Panic in Costa Rica.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—Mail advices from San Jose de Costa Rica, Central America, report a disastrous state of affairs there. Throughout the republic a financial panic has been caused by the discovery of silver. The panic is numerous and more are expected. Most disastrous is the embarrassment of the Costa Rica bank, formerly and better known as the Banco de La Union. Its notes are no longer accepted in commercial circles. It is feared that its troubles will have had effect on other financial institutions.

Anti-Slavery Work a Failure.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The Berlin correspondent of the Times says: The work of the German anti-slavery committee will shortly come to an end. It has been a significant failure. The committee funds, amounting to 20,000 marks, have been thrown away in this work without appreciable result. This is partly owing to the inactivity and extravagance of Herr Dornier, the leading of the second expedition to the east.

No Australian Sheep Exhibited.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—Sydney advices state that the idea of sending an exhibit of five sheep to Chicago, to represent the flocks of Australia, has been abandoned. It had been arranged that the sheep should be shown from those exhibited at the July show, but the royal agricultural society decided not to hold the exhibition.

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NO CAUSE FOR FEAR

Detention of the Karamia a Mere Matter of Precaution.

THE COUNTRY VERY HEALTHY

Reports of Health Are Vigorous in Receiving Sanitary Hales in Large Cities and Ports.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Dr. Cyrus Edson, city health commissioner, will say in the forthcoming issue of the American Druggist and Pharmaceutical Record: "It is to be regretted that some of the newspapers resort to sensational headlines and thus unnecessarily alarm the public in connection with contagious and infectious diseases. While much good is accomplished through leading the people to observe the laws of sanitation in their own persons, there is as much harm done through unnecessary fear and nervous dread which is caused by these methods. The mere fact that the Karamia was detained at quarantine yesterday should not be a source of great alarm for never in the history of this country has its sanitary condition been so good. Cholera has been generally prevalent in the interior of Russia and in Asia ever since last year, and has been known to be epidemic in the south of France since March of this year. Its existence in Naples, Italy, recently came to life, though it has not yet become epidemic there. The north of Europe has been free of cholera since April when some cases occurred in Lorient, one of the northern provinces of France. I have said that the sanitary condition of the United States in general is excellent, and that is more especially true of the large cities."

Be Careful About Water.

"Since the great source of infection is the water used for drinking it is around this that the most stringent safeguards should be thrown. This has been frequently recognized in the larger cities, and thanks to the energetic work of the various boards of health, there is little or no cause to fear as to impure drinking water. Sojourners at summer resorts, however, should exercise precaution, as the water used at these temporary places of residence is frequently contaminated, not at present with cholera germs, but with other germs of disease which may weaken the system so as to afford a lodging place for cholera germs should they be introduced later. That the health authorities of this city are able to combat the disease, even should it reach this country, is a certainty which I say, among the possibilities, was amply demonstrated in the way that the few cases were handled which appeared here last year, and further it may be said that the sanitary condition of this city is better now than it was then. There are just three things to be in mind: First, that cholera can only be taken into the body by means of food or drink. Second, that even if taken into a healthy stomach cholera germs are harmless, as the acid gastric juice at once kills and destroys them. Third, that they are certainly killed when submitted to the boiling temperature. Bearing these facts in mind, every person may face the problem, if the cholera comes with equanimity, feeling assured of his ability to care for himself."

Defaulter Captured.

FLORENCE, Ala., Aug. 4.—Hinto A. Carr, the defaulting president of the Tusculum Banking company, has been captured in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, after a two months' chase. Detectives shadowed their man through many cities before finally capturing him. Carr is thought to have taken the funds of the bank with him. He is about \$30,000 to his creditors. Governor Jones has sent requisition papers for Carr's return.

Colored Men Retaliated.

WAYCROSS, Ga., Aug. 4.—The representative colored people of this city held an important meeting last night for the purpose of considering outrages on black men upon white women. Resolutions deplored and denouncing outrages and lynchings, and calling a meeting to be held at Macon, Georgia, early in October, for the purpose of organizing and devising a plan for the suppression of outrages were passed.

Hung for a Great Crime.

TERRELL, Mo., Aug. 4.—Joseph A. Howell was executed by hanging here at 10 o'clock today for the murder of Mrs. Nettie Hall and four children near Brookfield, Missouri, on January 19 last.

THROWN BY THE CARS.

John West Has a Narrow Escape From Death.

John West, a colored man, near being killed by a 7x10 street electric train at the corner of Wealthy avenue and James street at 7 o'clock last evening. John was pulled the train and was twenty-five minutes behind time with orders to make up if possible. No stops were made except at passengers alight. West signalled the train to stop, but it passed him at a rate of about twelve miles an hour. He caught at the rear end of the motor car and was swung between it and the car following, but in some miraculous manner the rear car appeared, to strike him and he fell toward the sidewalk. He turned over two or three times and landed him in the gutter. Fortunately he was not hurt beyond a bad shaking up and several bruises.

IN GODFREY'S FOND.

Tonic Van Ottem, a boy 12 years old, was drowned while bathing in Coffey's pond yesterday afternoon. He was swimming with two companions, when he sank in about four and one-half feet of water. The two boys with him were so frightened that they took his clothes and ran to his home, No. 147 Central avenue, and notified his parents. The police were notified